San Saba, - - Texas ALECTRICITY has just begun to offer new opportunities to commerce. Wo wee no longer compelled to carry our factories to the water power for by the electric wirs the power may be brought to the house of the operative

THE great body of the American Individual members of the Chineso race. We are too familiar with for eigners of all kinds to retain much of that fooling.

A courses sin of housekeepers is worry-worrying for fear the work will not be done or something may happen for which one is not prepared. Those who will worry will always find enough to worry about It is well to think of the work to be done. but the wise housekeeper will have a plan for each day, and follow it as nearly as possible.

There is one branch of scientific ex periment that is almost unequal to the demands upon it, although new discoveries in that line are being an nounced every day. This branch is in the direction of securing naw tnethods and materials for military and maval use in destroying armies and unvies. The range of experiment is a wide one and takes in all departments of physics and chemistry.

The newspaper of a generation ago may have been a more scholarly production than the average sheet of the present day, but as a nowspaper it was of little account comparatively. The day of newspaper essays bas gone by. People now read their papers to learn what is going on in the world and not to loarn what some pedantic individual thinks about some thing that he knows nothing about

THERE is much to learn in the science of roadmaking on the sub ects of location, workmanship, maintenance and legislation. The mere enumeration of these points is sufficleat to show that good roads depend upon technical skill quite as much as railroads and bridges. They can never be had by the almless plowing and scraping which the puthmister throughout the country orders every spring, even though the work extended through the year.

PRACTITIONERS are growing at last to doubt the prudence of the indiscrimi gate employment of cocains. Other appeatheties longer known to the profession and more thoroughly tested, accomplish all that has been claimed for or accomplished by eccains. It is to take its place shortly with the many other novelties that have been ent for short periods have fulled of permanent good and been rejected. When taken for other than surgical considerations it has proved a victors polyon. It ought to be so classified.

We are building up our characters and our lives not only by actions, but by the direction in which we are looking by the models we set before us by the kleals we cherish, by the company we keep by the books we bead, by all the conditions in which we put ourselves. By looking up to what is higher had better, we shall rise to higher and better states of being and our characters and conduct will always bear an intimate relation to those things upon which our mental vision dwells with pleasure and

STUDENTS of history and oven those whose reading or study is confined to the happenings of the day must have noticed that any great crisis in the affairs of a country is sure to bring forth a man who is able to grapple with it. Even in circumstances that are not critical but merely conditional there seems to be an eternal application of the same truth. What the occasion chils for is made manifest. According to degree of importance a Casar, a Napoleon or a plain John Smith rises above the horizon of events and makes himself for the time being the polar star by which the arse of things is guided and the John of progress steered.

Aligne where the present century, or even the latter half of it has been unusual-The My prollific in saw developments of opportunities for supplying mankind with the necessaries or luxuries of . Hig at less cost of strength and time. it is possible that none of them are

destined to accomplish more or prove a greater, beneat to humanity than that which is being made to convert the natural forces of nature into no electrical power by wintels their ca-

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All friending 25th J. M. Dean; 25th J. M. Dean a secesaity of the future.

and we may again see the private workman superseds the factory op people would view with just alarm an address of welcome by Judge J. Cannot do it. If we must be beaten any considerable immigration of was called to order at noon by Hon. and not by brute force, tyranny and committees and while he was calling Chinese to the United States. It is N. W. Finley, chairman of the Demo-dogmatism." [A storm of yells] them out the secretary of the Hog not a personal predjudice against the cratte executive committee who in Mr. Matlock—Mr. Chairman, I deconvention, five feet away, was yellow.

would not put it before the house."

Would not put it before the house."

The roll call proceeded and Sanatur sergeant-at-arms and then for temporary president Col. T. J. Scarcy, when his county was called. Scarcy, when his county was called. Scarcy wa Matieck attempted to speak but was out off with cries of "Call the roll !" opposition delegates on the floor?

Question?. A voice—Oh, he can't hear a Demo-tion.

The chair appointed as teilers cratic delegate. desses. Kauffman and Bliss of the state executive committee and ordered | you and your goats? vote taken by roll of counties.

Mutlock-The Democrats have the vote cast? anner of electing their chairman. I instructed me not to count Tarrant's ive that the nominations be made ive voce. [Confusion and cries of Sit down!" "Sit down!" "Tear down and canner! "You dure do it."] coedings was inscribed, 'Turn Texas protest loose," and hung in front of the speak-

er's stand. Brown of Grayson raised the point ! of order that the vote could not be Major Walton Do I understand taken vivs voce where the candidates that Tarrant's vote has not been were of a body representing a con- counted?

The chair ruled the point of order

Matiock appealed from the ruling of the chair. "I contend." he pro-ceeded, "that this is a Democratic asemuly and we have the right to make

A voice-Who is we? proar as Sit down. You are a hell accredited twenty delegates

in sold hourse, continued to appeal oblised by the chairman?

or fair play. He was not with such responses as "bolt," "sit down."

A voice—How about Smith?

Another voice—Declare your chairman elected and see if you can sent

order but the chair did not recognize him. Democracy of Texas, in the name of Many votess. We have isseeney and fairness we protest. No All we want is a fair deal uch high handed proceedings were Amid great confusion the chair anver before heard of in this country. notherd

Still the roll call proceeded, while Capt Donovan of Eagle Like made a west wild Jonathan Lane Mr. Mat-liteen minutes' speech, not a word of lock, Barney Zimpleman, Senator Gar-

CLARK NOMINATED BY ACCLAMATION.

Mr. Matlock-How was Tarrant's

Secretary Kaulman-The chairman

Mr. Matlock-This is the first instance in the history of the Democratic party where the regularly accred-The banner which seemed to threat-is a jamboree thus early in the pro-

Mr. Hughes of Austin-Mr. Reagan is your railroad commission out of Major Walton-Do I understand

Secretary Kauffman-Yes, sir. Major Walton-By what authority ir, do you disfranchise that county? Chairman Finley—It is excluded by

reason of the contest pending in tha Many voices-How do you know nything about any contest? Major Walton-Who determined

and a sea of confusion then set in with | has any duly drawn up papers with Manlock I understand you are col-Have you disfranchised Dallas secting the votes by secret bailot. We McLennan Rovertson, Correit, Rur will not submit to it. [Confusion and nells and many other Claric counties Cries of 'Souey!' Souey!" amid which
W. A. H. Miller of Llamo county was
heard exclaiming, 'I appeal to the
Democracy of Texas; we must have
recognition."

The confusion had now lasted half
A voice—He hears that
Mr. Mattock—Is Wilbarger permitted to you on is that county differen-

m hour and Matlock, who had roured | ted to vote, or is that county disfran-

Several volces-That's the stuff.

itis.

Mr. Matiock—In the name of the emocracy of Texas, in the name of Many voices—We have not boiled.

applause]
The roll call proceeded amid grunts.

Mr. Matlock—Gentlemen of the great vention, we, as Democrats of the great vention, we are processed in the great vention. Mr. Matlock-Gentlemen of the conthe Democratic executive committee convention expecting fair treatment and we enter our solemn protest.

I had the floor when the chairman and we enter our selemn protest. I had the floor when the confirming.

Mr. Taylor tried to talk but his took it from me and would not put my once was completely drowged in the motion before the none. He has also confusion that ensued disfranchised 128 votes which are Judge Bayan of Washington county, a Hogg man, jumped to the front of In view of these revolutionary mensthe rostrum and jelled. Boit! boit! ures adopted by him I now put in the top of his voice.

Mr. Matlock—Mr. Chairman 1 this convention Jonathan Lanc of accept that we take a viva voce vote. Fayetse county, and all those who

and instead of putting my motion you favors his selection will signify the with prayer, which he did.

A special committee which sense to an an Air Matlock declared Jonathan motion. Such a thing is unheard of Lagrangian and the country of Lagrangian motion. motion. Such a thing is unheard of Lane the temporary chairman of the

iffeen minutes speech, not a word of which could be understood owing to the confusion.

The call of each county was answered by a howing mob and Secretary Kamisnan did not know which one of the boys he was dudge Alexander inquired of the chair by what right he passed certain The delegates all grahed upon and counties and demonded an explanachair by what right he passed certain countles and demanded an explanation.

Chairman Finley—There is so much noise that I cannot understand your question.

The question was repeated with emphasis and Chairman Finley said: "It is customary in the temporary organization of Democratic conventions not to count the vote of centested delegations.

Judge Alexander—I rise to a question of privilege, str. I want to know how the chairman of this convention can pass any of these counties in this way. Who has the right to do this? It is arbitrary, a isompation of the right to freeden and without necessity of freeden, and without necessary of freeden. The flark Convention.

The Clark Convention.

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TWO FULL TICKETS. authority do you treat us in this way? Teleform collers: 10th. D. C. Gidding: united front and as we believe, an Will you answer? Dare you answer? Dare you answer? Dare you answer? Dare you answer? The Democracy in Texas. We refer true Democracy in Texas. We refer to the report of the contesting delection of the contes Hogg is Nominated by a Large Majority on the First Ballot.

How are boddy and tyraneary overriding the Democrates of Texas and the Elgin; 24th, C. Unsen; 25th, W. A. H.

Hogg is Nominated by a Large Majority on the First Ballot.

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Houston. Fex. Aug. 17.—1s was showing a harmonous settlement of have cause to remember the partiality. 25th M. C. Harris and W. F. Moo. 1.

Houston. Fex. Aug. 17.—1s was showing a harmonous settlement of all past difference among the Damothe Convention to order. Prayer was

party and dweit at length on the Republican miscule. He advised Demostrate— fair you will listen to me. I want to be shound in Some two hours were consumed in ratio harmony as essential to Demo-ratio success and said with emphasis: poiled down. Later he continued then the Clark people were ready to In the struggle for good government of the Chairman, were you appointed adjourn. But they waited until the and political freedom let us hope that receiver of the Democratic party of Hogg men asjourned to meet to-morand political freedom let us hope that receiver of the Democratic narty of no Benedict Arnold will be found in Texas? [Wild yells.] I moved that the ranks of the Texas Democracy. The vote on the chairman be viva vote. I have an an extraction of the platform and you called for a vote by counties. The principal of the majority is a cardinal principal of the Democratic party."

Texas? [Wild yells.] I moved that row morning at 10 o'clock. As soon in the vote on the chairman be viva vote by counties. The principal of the majority is a cardinal from your decision and car-like you o'clock at the same hall and meaning that the chairman between the platform and the wall of the majority is a cardinal from your decision and car-like you o'clock at the same hall and meaning that the Clark men would meet at struct.

he whispers to the friends near the representing a considerable number of third rule be adopted in the nomina-restrans when he will not listen to the Clark's supporters, have made up their tions of all candidates for state offices.

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evidences of defection were not only apparent, but a stampede was threat-ened. However, the Clark faction apeared at the convention hall promptiberations. The Hogg sergeant-atiberations. The Hogg sergeant-atof prominent gentlemen the convenarms, assisted by the city marshal and
tion adjourned until 8:30 p. m. everal policemen, were holding the Promptly at the hour designated the entrances and denied admission to all convention was called to order. A ho were not provided with regular adges issued by the Democratic state accutive committee. As members of the Lane faction, had repudiated the goard of the Clark men parleyed awhile with the police about the mater, but were not sufficiently eloquent

a sention hall and announced to his howers the situation and briefly conor a consultation. Numbers of voices r force, but Lane counseied modera-

Matlock announced that he was in favor of occupying the convention hall peaceably if possible, but forcibly necessary, and as he turned to go the Turner hall consultation he irned and shook his finger at Babe back here and when we come we will occupy this hall." Then the crowd filed out in the direction of Turner

CLARK CONVENTION.

After the failure of the Lane faction to gain admittance to the convention hall, the Clark forces, lend by Chair-Mr. Matlock- It is simply unpre-state of Texas and representatives of the latter of the various countries throughout the edented in the history of the eemo- the various countries throughout the order and matters discussed at leastly order and matters discussed at length. ratic party to proceed in this way state which have supported George brithout reading the rules adopted by Clark in this campaign, came to this There was no besiness of consequence. transacted at this session. Mr. Plow-I. Stewart announced through the former that Dallas desired representation in this convention, which was met with lond applause. Ad-journed until 3 p. m.

On reassembling at the evening ses-sion, on motion of Barry Miller of Dallas, Dr. W. C. Young of Dallas was requested to open the proceedings

A special committee which had been sent to oring the Clark fing and pic-ture from the Hogg convention reported that they executed their mis-



Your committee on credentials, beg ienve to report that for a basis of representation each county in this state resentation on this representation on this region.

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Houston, Tex. Aug. 16.—Houston was full of fire this morning. All the stragglers came in on the early trains and the crowd was complete. After an address of welcome by Judge 3. W. Jones of Houston the convention was full of order at noon by Hon. X. W. Finley, chairman of the Democratic executive cummittee, who in quite a lengthly address briefly referred to the history of the Democratic purity and dwelf at length on the search and the strange of the substant do it. If we must be beaten are proposed to the distance of the convention they proposed to submit to any injustice or unfairness. You may but yet it and vote for Clack if his only injustice or unfairness. You may but we are determined not to submit to any injustice or unfairness. You may but yet it and vote for Clack if his only injustice or unfairness. You may but with the stragglers came in on the early trains and in the chair with the logs of ruling and outraging us in that yet in the logs of ruling and

Housen. Tex., Aug. 17. Late last right after various Clark delegations that cancussed in regard to the split, was withdrawn. Lessing of Molecules.

he Lane raction had reputed by the police additional delegates were reported by and refused admission. The advance the committee. Matlock of Tarrant

car, but were not sufficiently cloquent to obtain entrance. In the meantime the crowd graw and at 9:15 the lobby of the convention half was macked with a surging crowd of maddened men. Chairman Lane arrived and found the trouble climbed upon the fence separating the lobby from the convention half was an found for the convention of the convention half was an found to be convention and described to the convention half was a convention to the convention of the platform by a rising cure. Carried.

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the convention to order. Prayer was

degrantism." [A storm of yells.]
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CLARK CONVENTION.

CERTIFIC DAYS Horston Tex. Aug. 18 -- On the

tion before the convention was the motion of Mr. Binke to table Gidding's substitute for the sliver plank in the ton only pintform



HON, JAMES S. HOGG.

to give Col. Juste Hodges an opportunity to speak five minutes who closed by a motion to table the substitute.

The chair stated the question and in response to demands the vote was by counties resulting in a vote of 527 to 253, tabling the national silver plant. The previous question was moved and carried and a three total was reached on the adoption of the plantion of the plantion of the plantion. to give Col. Just Hodges an opport earloads of sind and over

was rememed Richard Morgan got on weighs twenty pounds. his chair and read the protest of his the national platform and declared that it remased every Democrat in strength.

GRAINS OF GOLD.

Sanctified self-respect is a tower of strength. Terms from the obligation to sustain strength.

Developed bitterly against the repudintion of the mutoural platform.

The chairman announced that the Give a list races enough and it will next musiness in order were nomina-tions for governor. Brown of Gray-son placed James S. Hogg. In nomi-the decil as whisky.

Non-mitteens closed and ballotting commenced. Hogg received 697.
Carga 1981, Lannatu & Brown 3.
Sheward 5, Shair I, Goldings I. Hogg man declared the nomines and the chair appointed a committee to notify the governor of the same. In a few moments the committee res-Not autions closed and balloting thing to make men make patient on washing. tion to order and announced that non- we shall roup

C. I. Petter, M. M. Crave, of fingers to find out Johnson H. K. White of Branes were placed in nomination for Hentemant. The devil gets many a good "boost" from the man who thinks that it is re-

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W. L. Daviesiu and E. J. Scoppi record the necessarious for Journa of

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OUR ST. LOUIS LETTER. A Hotbed of Political Conflict - Athletic

Revival. Sr. Louis, Aug. 15.—For the first time in the history of politice in this State, the headquarters of both the great parties, as well as the People's party have been established in St. Louis. The Republicans have the whole of one story of a hotel on Fourth street, the Everett house, and the Dem-ocrats have their rooms in the Laclede ocrats have their rooms in the Lacled-hotel. The People's perty managers are at the Richellen hotel. All of these places are crowded from early morning to avening with candidates and their friends; and politicisms from all parts of the State are making the city the hub of every journey they take through the counties. Both the Republican and the Democratic parties intended at first to establish branch headquarters in other cities in Missouri, but they aban-doned the idea, concluding that the central position of St. Louis made that nuncessary. Here the managers are

work but none of the members being a work out none of the members being a committee on permanent organization reported fine name of Hos. W. A motion to exclude Hogg people and the state of the name of Hos. W. A motion to exclude Hogg people and the state of the st

UNIQUE OF THEIR KIND. The oldest English erows is the anrient imperial disclementals for Charles II, to replace the one worn by Edward the Confessor, which was broben up and sold forcing the civil war.

Berlo, a European bicyclist owns the lightest bley ie in the world. The tires weigh a pounds a ottness. The rear wheel is as inches. The machine is geared to is inches. The rat trap pedals weigh exactly 12 onnces. At a recent owners and at the great English 'threaters' the largest price was paid for a neckines of 155 pearls. It brought 430 guiness, white another

necklace, composed of fine large rables, surrounded by brilliants, brought only 200 guiness. The largest artificial stone in the world beaut the base of the Bartholdi states of Liberty on Reflects island, New York harber, The language stone

was made from broken trap rock, sand

which the hemispheres are traced The roll was called and the platform while a sliver eagle, with outstretched During this coll call when Dallas the glubs. It was made in 1884 and

GRAINS OF GOLD.

he nominations.

Harris Tarrant and Dallas counties like the truth.

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notify the governor of the same. In the heart, the hear

convention took a recess until 2 o. m. There is both joy and sadness in the mations were in order for its demants It is hard to believe that a man who

A number of remointions were spring at this point which created considerable woundline. The related the second at the point which created considerable woundline. considerable wrangling. They were somebody didn't have to burn their

governor. Crane was elected on the ligious to wear a long tars

ing because they can't see straight

NATURAL HISTORY NOTES. Join D. McCall, R. M. Henderson The leaf of the banana is usually

The hardest known wood is re-us wood; it turns the edge of may as, however well tempered

There is a tree in Jamacia known as growing even after being severed from the plant; only by fire can it be entirely destroyed. One of the largest camellia trees in

Europe is that which is at Pillnitz, near Dresden, and forms one of the sights of the district. It was imported from Japan about 150 years ago. Is about 17 yards high and has an anunal average of 40,000 blussoms.